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### **Anticipated Floor Schedule**

On Tuesday, the House will meet at 2:00 p.m. for legislative business. Votes will be postponed until 6:30 p.m.

#### **One Minutes**

#### Suspensions (8 bills):

- H.J.Res. 83 To memorialize and honor the contribution of Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist (Sponsored by Rep. Pombo / Resources Committee)
- 2) S.J.Res. 28 A joint resolution approving the location of the commemorative work in the District of Columbia honoring former President Dwight D. Eisenhower (Sponsored by Sen. Stevens / Resources Committee)
- S. 592 Glendo Unit of the Missouri River Basin Project Contract Extension Act of 2005 (Sponsored by Sen. Thomas / Resources Committee)
- 4) H.R. 2341 To amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the design, planning, and construction of a project to reclaim and reuse wastewater within and outside of the service area of the City of Austin Water and Wastewater Utility, Texas (Sponsored by Rep. Doggett / Resources Committee)
- 5) H.R. 4709 Law Enforcement and Phone Privacy Protection Act of 2006 (Sponsored by Rep. Smith (TX) / Judiciary Committee)
- 6) H.Con.Res. 357 Supporting the goals and ideals of National Cystic Fibrosis Awareness Month (Sponsored by Rep. Steams / Energy and Commerce Committee)
- 7) H.Con.Res. 349 Authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the Greater Washington Soap Box Derby (Sponsored by Rep. Hoyer / Transportation and Infrastructure Committee)
- 8) H.R. 4916 To authorize United States participation in, and appropriations for, the United States contribution to the first replenishment of the resources of the Enterprise for the Americas Multilateral Investment Fund (Sponsored by Rep. Pryce / Financial Services Committee)

## **Special Orders**

#### Wednesday's Forecast

On Wednesday, the House will meet at 10:00 a.m. for legislative business.

# Suspensions (2 bills):

- 1) H.Con.Res. 365 Urging the Government of China to reinstate all licenses of Gao Zhisheng and his law firm, remove all legal and political obstacles for lawyers attempting to defend criminal cases in China, including politically sensitive cases, and revise law and practice in China so that it conforms to international standards (Sponsored by Rep. Kennedy (MN) / International Relations Committee)
- 2) H.R. 282 Iran Freedom Support Act (Sponsored by Rep. Ros-Lehtinen / International Relations Committee)
- H.R. 5020 Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2007 (Subject to a Rule) (Sponsored by Rep. Hoekstra / Permanent Select Intelligence Committee)

#### Quote of the Day

"Democrats cast themselves yesterday (Saturday) as the party that will change the nation's unpopular course -- but hedged on precisely how they would do it.

The Democratic National Committee used a three-day meeting to unveil a six-point statement labeled as the party's vision for governing -- yet it avoided such thorny issues as Iraq or immigration. And party leaders put off further discussion of a Democratic plan for Iraq until later this year -- and then it will be done in private."

-- Knight Ridder reporting on the recent unveiling of the Democrat vision for governing (4/23/06)